# GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
# HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT
# LOK SABHA

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INDO-GERMAN INSTITUTE OF TECHNOLOGY
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**Will the Minister of HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT be pleased to state:**

(a) whether the Indo-German Institute of Technology, a joint initiative of the Vishveshwaraiah Technological University, Belgaum and Diamant Metallplastic GmbH, Germany was inaugurated in Bangalore on 03, March 2003;

(b) if so, whether the Diamant Triumph Metallplastic Private Limited, Bangalore, a joint venture partner of the German firmwill co-ordinate the activities of the University locally;

(c) if so, whether any agreements has been signed in this regard; and

(d) if so, the details thereof alongwith the details of the other countries with whom agreements has been reached in this regard?

## Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HUMAN RESOURCE DEVELOPMENT (DR. VALLABHBHAI KATHIRIA)

(a) to (d): As per the information provided by Karnataka Government, the Indo-German Institute of Technology (IGIT), a joint ventureof the Vishveshwaraiah Technological University, Belgaum and Diamant Metallplastic GmbH, Germany was inaugurated in Bangalore on 3rd March, 2003. The Diamant Metallplastic GmbH, Germanyand Diamant Triumph Matallplastic Private Limited, Bangalorewill co-ordinate the activities of the institute locally.

Vishveshwaraiah Technological University, Belgaum has entered into Memorandum of Understanding (MOU)with Diamant Matallplastic GmbH, Germany and Diamant Triumph Matallplastic Private Limited, Bangalore for establishing IGIT to impart training in latest state-of-art technologies.

According to the MOU, the Diamant MatallplasticGmbH, Germanywill supply the technical know-how for the IGITcomprising of training, literature, videos and power point demonstrations for dynamic and static moulding technologies, cold welding methods, capillary metal impregnation techniques, metal preservation and conservation methods. With no other countries such an agreement has been reached by the University.